

Workshop on communication about prognosis and discussing end of life

11 November 2023, 14:30-16:00 | Lisbon, Portugal Meeting room 3A&B, Pavilion 3, CCL

The ABC Global Alliance, a multi-stakeholder platform for all those interested in collaborating on common projects relating to advanced breast cancer, invites all interested ABC7 participants to join its meeting.

Programme

- 14:30 Welcome and introduction L. Fallowfield, UK
- 14:35 News since 2019 communication workshop L. Fallowfield, UK
- 14:45 The importance of discussing prognosis B. Kiely, AU

14:55 Workshop moderated by

Fatima Cardoso, PT - Lesley Fallowfield, UK - Belinda Kiely, AU - Luzia Travado, PT with the support of

- Isabel Aloi Timeus, MX
- Jyoti Bajpai, IN
- Anna Cabanes, US
- Runcie Chidebe, NG
- Jenny Gilchrist, AU
- Ranjit Kaur, MY
- Cinthya Villareal, MX

15:50 **Report back from the groups and closing remarks** - Group moderators

Workshop Aim

The workshop will be dedicated to discuss important communication issues related to prognosis and discussing end of life.

Five main questions will be asked to all participants:

- 1. When should the end-of-life discussions happen?
- 2. Who else, besides the patient, should be present?
- 3.What should be discussed?

4. Who within the multidisciplinary team should be responsible for the discussion?

5.How might it be best done?

In order to allow participant to express their opinions, the audience will be divided in smaller groups and each group will discuss the same questions. Answers will be collected, discussed, taking into account geographical and cultural differences, and conclusions and future actions will be agreed upon (e.g. potential position paper).